

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

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Dear Sir:

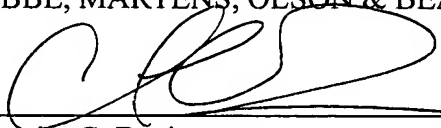
Enclosed is form PTO-1449 listing 113 references that are of record in U.S. patent application No. 10/078,063, filed February 18, 2002, which is the parent of this Continuation application, and is relied upon for an earlier filing date under 35 U.S.C. § 120. Copies of the references are not submitted pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(d).

This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed before the receipt of a first Office Action on the merits, and presumably no fee is required in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b)(3). If a first Office Action on the merits was mailed before the mailing date of this Statement, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p) to Deposit Account No. 11-1410.

Respectfully submitted,

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	2	42,809	7/16/12	C.A. Tatum			
	3	109,549	5/3/38	F. Dabroski			
	4	221,911	9/14/71	Richard E. Ericson, et al.			
	5	227,184	6/5/73	Frank W. Stevens, et al.			
	6	245,539	8/23/77	Lindsey			
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	8	255,936	7/15/80	Cullis, et al.			
	9	272,762	2/21/84	Tanner, II			
	10	284,035	5/27/86	de Leeuwe, et al.			
	11	291,491	8/18/87	Larkin			
	12	298,567	11/15/88	Morris			
	13	324,566	3/10/92	Schmidt, et al.			
	14	480,785	8/16/1892	J.P. Schan			
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	17	2,688,964	9/14/51	A.E. Smith			
	18	2,784,716	3/31/55	C.R. Broman			
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	20	2,864,367	12/16/58	W.C. Mende			
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	22	3,029,983	4/17/62	Wagenhals			
	23	3,048,171	8/62	Grau			
	24	3,111,125	11/6/61	R.R. Schulte			
	25	3,144,866	8/18/64	A.L. Ellis			
	26	3,151,616	10/6/64	P. M. Selfon			
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	33	3,469,578	9/30/69	Bierman			
	34	3,565,292	2/23/71	Jinotti			
	35	3,595,232	7/27/68	Leibinson			
	36	3,625,401	12/7/71	Terry			
	37	3,640,276	2/8/72	Dancy, Jr.			
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	39	3,647,117	3/7/72	Hargest			
	40	3,662,928	5/16/72	Pogorski, et al.			
	41	3,667,466	6/72	Ralph			
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	45	3,818,910	6/25/74	Harris			
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	63	4,337,769	7/6/82	Olson			
	64	4,410,323	10/18/83	Hodosh, et al.			
	65	4,468,221	8/84	Mayfield			
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	73	4,756,450	7/88	Negaty-Hindi et al.			
	74	4,769,008	9/6/88	Hessel, et al.			
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	76	4,781,689	11/1/88	Sealfon, et al.			
	77	4,883,473	11/28/89	Thomas			
	78	4,898,582	2/90	Faste			
	79	4,915,693	4/10/90	Hessel			
	80	4,950,245	8/21/90	Brown, et al.			
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	103	2,197,691	5/88	Great Britain			
	104	2,102,412	4/72	France			
	105	0178371	4/86	Europe			
	106	426,319	8/5/91	Europe			
	107	3,507,818	7/86	Germany (& translation)			
	108	4,039,191	11/91	Germany			
	109	76,374	3/50	Norway			
	110	404,870	7/66	Switzerland			

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	111	408,146	3/69	Switzerland			
	112	635,245	3/31/83	Switzerland			

EXAMINER INITIAL	OTHER DOCUMENTS (INCLUDING AUTHOR, TITLE, DATE, PERTINENT PAGES, ETC.)	
	113	Co-Pending Application; Application No.: 09/892,900 Filing Date: 6/26/01

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